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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q63090

Cedric LAPAILLE, et al.

Appln. No.: 09786553

Group Art Unit: 2634

Confirmation No.: 3727

Examiner: Jason M. PERILLA

Filed: March 07, 2001

For: A METHOD OF ESTIMATING THE SIGNAL-TO-NOISE RATIO IN A  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS RECEIVER AND AN APPLICATION OF THE METHOD  
TO CONTROLLING A TRANSMITTER

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of December 20, 2004 to May 20, 2005.

You are hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-4880 for the statutory fee of \$450.00. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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